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Professional Experience

Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Cullen Trust For Higher Education Endowed Professorship in Engineering #4 The University of Texas at Austin, September 1996 - present
Associate Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering The University of Texas at Austin, September 1992 - August 1996
Assistant Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering The University of Texas at Austin, September 1992 - August 1996
Assistant Professor, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering The University of Texas at Austin, September 1988 - August 1992
Lecturer, EECS Department University of California at Berkeley, Spring 1988
Member of Technical Staff, Microelectronics Center TRW, Redondo Beach, CA, June 1979 - August 1984

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Selected Awards

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IEEE Electron Devices Society Distinguished Lecturer, 2004 - present.

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- Gordon Lepley IV Memorial Teaching Award, ECE Department, The University of Texas at Austin, 2004

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Dean's Fellow, College of Engineering, The University of Texas at Austin, 1999, 2003

Lockheed Fort-Worth Division Award for Excellence in Engineering Teaching,

- College of Engineering, The University of Texas at Austin, 1996
- Award of Excellence, Halliburton Foundation, 1993
- Departmental Teaching Award, College of Engineering, The University of Texas at Austin, 1993
- SRC Inventor Recognition Award, Semiconductor Research Corporation, 1991
- Hughes Aircraft Company Endowed Faculty Fellowship in Engineering,
 - The University of Texas at Austin, 1991-2000
- Outstanding Engineering Teaching by an Assistant Professor, College of Engineering, The University of Texas at Austin, 1991
- Best Paper Award, SEMATECH Centers of Excellence Coordination Meeting, 1990.
- Dow Outstanding Young Faculty Award, American Society for Engineering Education, 1990
- Engineering Research Initiation Award, Engineering Foundation of the United Engineering Trustees, 1989
- Best Paper Award, IEEE International Reliability Physics Symposium, 1988

Litigation Experience as Testifying Experts:

My litigation experience includes writing expert reports on validity/ invalidity, infringement/non-infringement, claim construction, reverse engineering, advising clients during discovery, deposition and cross-examination of opposing experts, and testimony at hearings and at trial.

- Expert Reports I have written about 20 expert reports
- Depositions I have been deposed about 7 times
- Trials 2 cases have gone to trials (Elpida Memory v. Nanya Technology Corporation, and Agere Systems v. Rohm)
- Tutorial I have given 1 tutorial to the judge in the Macronix v. Spansion case
- Macronix, Inc. v. Spansion, Inc.
 September 2014 –
 → Flash memory devices and fabrication methods, an ITC case [Ropes and Gray LLP]
 (Representing defendant, Spansion, Inc.)
- Keranos, LLC v. MicrochipTechnology, Inc. August 2012 – February 2014
 → Flash memory devices and fabrication methods [King and Spalding, LLP] (Representing defendant, MicrochipTechnology)
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- Xicor LLC v. Silicon Storage Technology, Inc. January 2011 – December 2011
 → Semiconductor processes [Covington and Burling LLP] (Representing defendant, Silicon Storage Technology)
- Elpida Memory, Inc. v. Nanya Technology Corporation April 2012 – December 2012
 → DRAM memory processes, an ITC case [Freitas Tseng & Kaufman LLP] (Representing defendant, Nanya Technology Corporation)
- Spansion LLC v. Samsung May 2010 – June 2011
 → Semiconductor devices [McDermott Will & Emery LLP] (Representing plaintiff, Spansion LLC)
- Spansion LLC v. Samsung July 2009 – March 2010
 → Semiconductor devices, an ITC case [King and Spalding, LLP] (Representing plaintiff, Spansion LLC)
- Advanced Micro Devices v. Samsung March 2008 – September 2010
 → Semiconductor devices; [Robins, Kaplan, Miller & Ciresi, LLP] (Representing plaintiff, Advanced Micro Devices)
- Agere Systems Inc. v. Samsung January 2007 – July 2010
 → Semiconductor devices [Townsend and Townsend and Crew, LLP] (Representing plaintiff, Agere Systems Inc.)

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He has published over 500 journal publications and conference proceedings; 1 book and 2 book chapters. He has been awarded two best paper awards, numerous teaching / research awards and several patents. He has supervised and graduated 40 Ph.D. students. Six of his PhD graduates are now professors in other universities and the rest are working in research and development programs in semiconductor industry. Dr. Lee is a fellow of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE) and Distinguished Lecturer for IEEE Electron Devices Society.

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